L. H. J. his Son Thomas Wootton to St. Omer's to be educated. Mr. Wootton Liber No. 47 (I thought) seemed at that Time, a little inclined to hearken to October 29 (I thought) seemed at that Time, a little inclined to hearken to his (Mr. Waring's) Advice, on Account of the Cheapness and Goodness of Education there, as Mr. Waring pretended. Mr. Wootton has lately mentioned the same Thing to me, but with some Expressions of Dislike

October 25, 1753.

William Brogden.

I have heard it reported, That a Priest in St. Mary's County, upon marrying of a Couple, the Man a Protestant, the Woman a Roman Catholic, swore the Man, before he would marry him, That he should bring up his Children in the Romish Faith.

October 25, 1753.

Samuel Clagett.

Mr. Francis Waring, of Prince George's County, Gentleman, aged thirty eight Years, or thereabouts, being sworn on the holy Evangelists of almighty God, deposeth and faith, That about nine or ten Years ago, Mr. Richard Marsham Waring, of the same County, Gentleman, died, and left four Sons, three of which he directed, by his Will, should be brought up in the Roman Catholic Faith, by their Mother, who was a Protestant; but if she neglected or refused so to do, then their Uncle, Basil Waring, was directed to take them, with their Fortunes, and bring them up agreeable to the said Will: their Mother lived four or five Years after their Father's Death, and during her Life carried them to the Protestant Church, during which Time, their Uncle never offered to meddle with them; when she died. Basil Waring then took the Children, but a Dispute arising about the Child that was not directed to be brought up a Papist, Mr. Henry Hawkins, of Charles County, their Grandfather, thought he had a Right to take him, and to see to his Education, on which he applied to the County Court, but they directed Basil Waring to take him, with the rest of his Brothers; since that, he has sent the eldest Son. Richard, to Saint Omer's, for his Education, and has shewed this Deponent several Letters that he has received from him, the first Letters he seemed much pleased with being sent there, and afterward. writes very pressing to be taken away, upon which, I asked him what p. 301 he would do about it? he told me in answer, that he would not force him to stay contrary to his Inclination, but would Order him to be brought away immediately, though he had paid for a longer Time than he had been there: Soon after he shewed me another Letter from him, wherein he says he is very well pleased with his Situation. and desires he would not send for him till his Time was out at School.

October 27, 1753.

Francis Waring.

Taken before me, Thomas Jennings.